

Mystery Farm Presented By Hastings Equipment

— CAN YOU IDENTIFY THE MYSTERY FARM? SEE PAGE 5 —

First in a series of "mystery farm" pictures, presenting a bird's-eye view of agricultural development in southeastern Tulare county, appears in this issue of The Farm Tribune, page 5, under sponsorship of Hastings Equipment company, International-Harvester dealer in Porterville.

Readers who identify the farm of the week can win a free aerial photo of their farm, or home, by simply stopping by Hastings Equipment company. This is all you have to do:

Ask at Hastings Equipment company for an entry blank; write down the name of the farm appearing on page 5 of this issue of The Farm Tribune; if your guess is correct, your entry goes into a jackpot for a weekly drawing; if your entry is drawn, you get a free aerial photo of your ranch or home.

And if your farm appears as a mystery farm, you can get an 11x14 enlargement of the picture appearing in The Farm Tribune by simply asking for it at Hastings Equipment company.

There will be a new farm picture printed each week; you can enter the contest each week. There is no obligation to buy nor is there any charge for entering this week.

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Madson Says Farm Abundance Will Continue

Although economists today predict that in a few years, as a result of population

increases, there will be enough people in the nation to use all farm products that can be produced, Ben A. Madson told a Porterville junior chamber of commerce banquet

audience Thursday night that the same predictions were being made 25 years ago, and just as those predictions of 25 years ago have not proved out, he doubts that today's similar predictions will prove out in the next 25 years.

Madson, who has been with the University of California college of agriculture for 45 years, and who headed the university's state-wide system of field stations, pointed out that through research, agriculture is developing as population grows; that in spite of population

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RALPH VOPAT, right, of the Porterville junior chamber of commerce, presents a junior chamber plaque to Guido Lombardi, Porterville rancher, as the Jaycee's choice for "Young Man of the Year," at last Thursday's annual chamber banquet. Mr. Lombardi was cited for his community accomplishments as a director of the Porterville Junior Livestock Show and fair; as a member of the board of the Tule River Co-operative gin and the Porterville Irrigation district; as a past president of the local chapter of California Young Farmers and chairman of the Young Farmer committee that has handled the Porterville booth in the Tulare county fair for several years and for work in the Knights of Columbus and the American Legion.

(Farm Tribune photo)



REED HASTINGS, of Hastings Equipment Co., who is this week presenting the first in a series of Mystery Farms, to appear in The Farm Tribune. You'll want to follow this series; see if you can identify each week's mystery farm.

(Farm Tribune photo)

GOOD FRIDAY, EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS BEING COMPLETED BY PORTERVILLE MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

Good Friday and Easter Sunrise service plans were announced this week by the respective chairman appointed by the president of the Porterville Ministerial association, Rev. J. Wilmer Lambert.

Rev. Everett C. Schneider announced that the Good Friday three-hour service would be held in the Evangelical United Brethren church with the Seven Last Words from the Cross as the theme of the service to begin at 12:00 noon, April 8. Seven pastors of the city will be speaking, and each

In addition to members of organized garden and flower clubs, any interested person is invited to display. The fair board will offer ribbons in the various classifications for first, second, third and honorable mention, plus sweepstakes.

In general charge of arrangements

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GOOD FISHING AT ISABELLA

Isabella lake, back of the Isabella dam on Kern river, should be "red hot" for the opening of trout season in this lake on April 1, according to reports from Game Warden Howard Martin, in Kern county. The lake is low and report is that fishermen can go for weight limits.

Sports Champions Of California In Porterville Saturday For Annual Banquet Of Champions; Sportarama

Sports champions of California will gather in Porterville Saturday afternoon and evening to participate in a golf tournament during the afternoon and a Banquet of Champions and Sportarama during the evening.

Sponsored by the Porterville Quarterback club, the event is drawing state-wide attention. During the evening banquet, at the Porterville high school cafeteria, scrolls will be presented to both professional and amateur sports champions of the state; at the Sportarama, in the high school gymnasium following the banquet, Porterville college students will participate in boxing bouts, wrestling, weight lifting exhibitions and other athletic events.

The golf tournament will be held on the Porterville Municipal course, starting at 10:00 a.m. with visiting sports figures from throughout California participating.

Angelo Brovelli, one of Porterville

SAMMY LEE TO BE GUEST

Sammy Lee, two-time Olympic diving champion, and rated the greatest diver that America has produced, will be a guest of Dr. Robert Karstaedt over the weekend. Now a doctor himself and a major in the Air Force, he will attend the Banquet of Champions Saturday night and may speak at the Porterville Rotary club next Tuesday.

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SPECIAL FEATURES FOR FAIR

Two special entries will add new interest to the Porterville Junior Livestock Show and Fair, May 19, 20 and 21—a colorful flower show is being arranged by the Porterville Garden club, and, from a Pacific Telephone and Telegraph exhibit, free telephone calls can be made to any place in the United States.

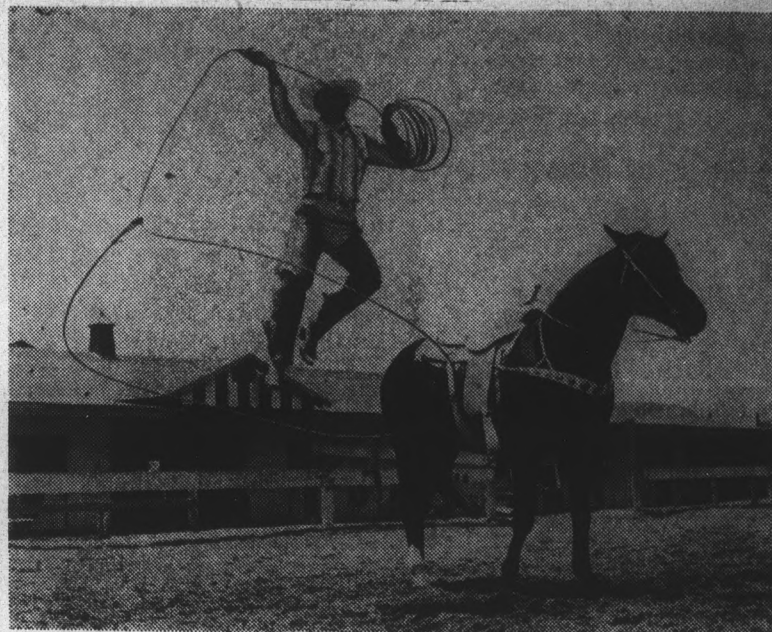
GARDEN CLUB FEATURES

Through efforts of the Porterville Garden club, two display booths will be devoted to a flower show. Terra Bella, Lindsay and Strathmore club members, as well as Porterville members, are being invited to participate in competitive showing; classifications will include arrangements, cut flowers, potted plants, miniature and junior entries.

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VERN GOODRICH, one of the top trick riders and ropers in the business, will appear as an arena feature at the annual Springville rodeo, in the Gill arena, April 17. Goodrich has appeared in shows throughout the nation, riding for 12 consecutive years in New York's Madison Square Garden.

CARNIVAL, PARADE, RODEO, FEATURES OF SPRINGVILLE SHOW SET FOR MID-APRIL

Carnival, western parade and an RCA-approved rodeo will feature the annual spring celebration of the Springville community, set for April 16 and 17.

The rodeo to be staged in the improved Gill arena on the Balch park road, will present the rough and ready stock of Manuel Cordoza Jr., of Cayucos; Joaquin Sanchez has been signed as clown and bullfighter; Vern Goodrich, nationally-known trick rider and roper, will appear as a special arena attraction, and Porterville's Canterbelles will present their new precision mounted drill. The show will be announced by Chuck Parkinson.

A western parade is slated for the afternoon of April 16, at 2:00 o'clock, with Herb Diffenbaugh, chairman, asking that persons interested in entering the parade contact him by April 11.

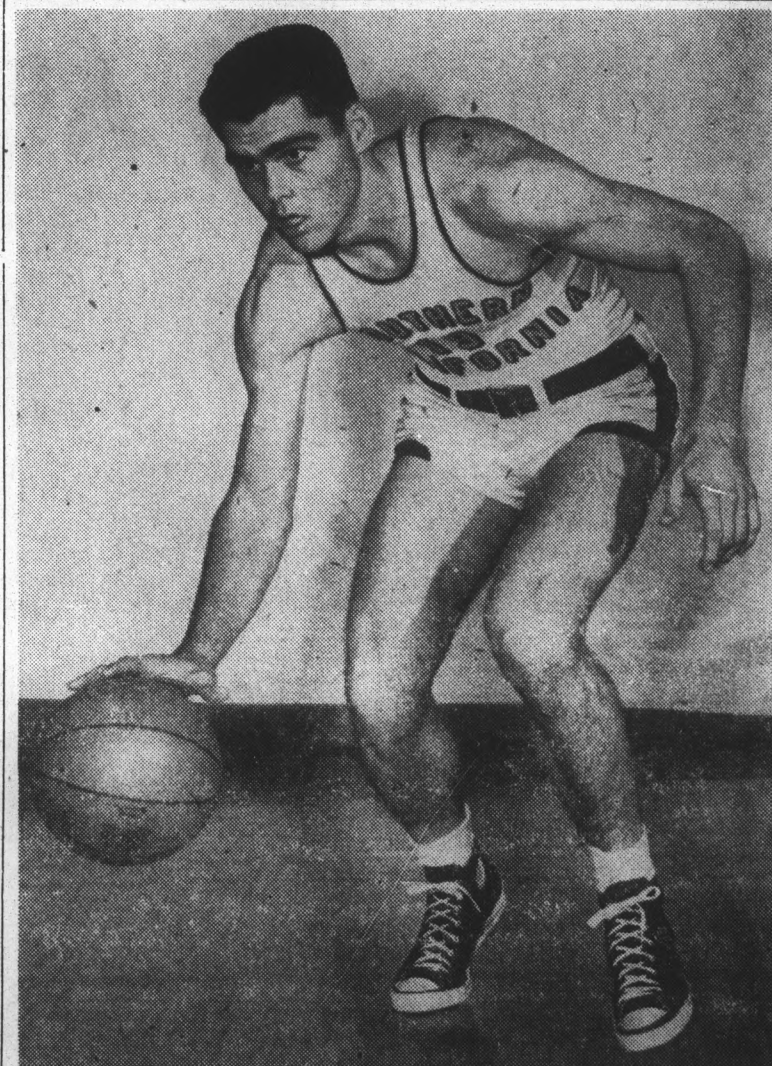
Springville Veterans of Foreign

Wars post will sponsor a carnival at the Soda Spring April 14 through 17 and Springville Lions club members will sponsor a dance

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COWBELLE DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

Cattlemen, their wives, and guests, will gather Saturday night at the American Legion hall in Porterville for annual spring dance of the Tulare County Cow Belles. A potluck dinner will be served, with persons attending asked to bring their own table service; music for dancing will be provided by the Rhythmaires of Bakersfield. General chairman is Esther Jones, of Porterville.



ROY IRVIN, co-captain of the 1955 University of Southern California basketball team, and an all-conference choice, who will be in Porterville Saturday to participate in the banquet of champions and Sportarama, sponsored by the Porterville Quarterback club.

SHIPS USED

Use of an additional 105 ships from the U. S. Maritime administration reserve fleet for emergency storage of about 24 million bushels of grain has been approved for Oregon and Washington.

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MORE THAN 150 RESERVATIONS RECEIVED FOR 1930 CLASS REUNION SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, APRIL 9

More than 150 reservations have already been received for reunion of the Porterville high school class of 1930, it was reported this week by Annetta Green, publicity chairman for the event, which is set for Saturday afternoon and evening, April 9.

Registration will be held at the high school from 2:00 until 5:00 p.m.; an informal dinner will be held at the American Legion hall, starting at 7:00 p.m.

All registrations, it is stated, must be in by not later than April 3; handling reservations is Verna Duncan, 610 North G street, in Porterville.

All members of the 1930 class have been located, with one exception — Ilene Clempsen. Of the 119 persons who graduated that year, two are in the military service; three are in Eastern states; one is in Washington; one in Oregon and the rest still in California.

SPRINGVILLE NEWS

By Winnie Gage

Mrs. Juanita Radeleff, Mrs. Gertrude Gill and Mrs. Helen Thompson drove to Kingsburg Sunday to see Rev. Helen Teoker and Lorna Cross, who are in the Sanitarium with injuries received in a car wreck on March 21, while enroute to San Francisco to meet a boy they had raised, named Andrew Jackson, who was returning to the States from Korea. Another boy, Ronnie Jackson, was called from the Air Force Base in Mississippi, and on his arrival in Kingsburg was rushed to the Hospital with an attack of appendicitis. Rev. Teoker is on the critical list and cannot receive visitors.

Mr. Bob Robbins and Helen Gilstrap were married Saturday in Las Vegas. Helen is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullens. Bob is an employee at Harris Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Gifford and son have returned home from a three weeks trip and 5,000 miles to Neosho and Granby, Mo. Mr. Gifford worked with Pet Milk company in Neosho for 17 years, and Mrs. Gifford's mother lives in Granby. They also visited relatives in Sulphur Springs, Ark., visited Hoover Dam and Carlsbad Caves in New Mexico. They report a very nice trip and good weather except for a snow storm near Tulsa, Okla.

COMMUNITY FLOWER SHOW SPONSORED BY PORTERVILLE CLUB ORGANIZATIONS

men's clubhouse, Saturday and Sunday, April 16 and 17, it was announced this week.

All persons in the community are invited to enter flowers, with classifications to be announced in the near future. Special prizes will go to the club member exhibitor who wins the greatest number of blue ribbons, and to the non-club member with the most blue ribbons.

Theme of the show is "Floral Roundup." Entries are to be brought to the clubhouse the morning of April 16; no prior entry application is necessary. Containers will be supplied for all floral exhibits; persons entering classes for floral arrangements must provide their own containers.

Special attraction at the show will be table arrangements of crystal and Sterling silver by the business firms of Williams Jewelers, Price Hodgson company, Gibson Stationery, Haener Jewelers and Jones Hardware Co.

PAPER PRODUCTS BUYS BUSINESS IN KERN COUNTY

Paper Products company of Visalia, a firm that does considerable business in the Porterville area, has expanded its business operation by purchase of the Chandler Janitor Supply company in Bakersfield.

K. R. Franklin and H. D. Pinkstaff, owners of Paper Products company, state that C. G. Chandler, former owner of the janitor supply service, will continue with the firm as business manager.

The Chandler company has operated in Kern county for a number of years; Paper Products company distributes printing papers, wrapping papers, agricultural packing materials, boxes, containers, and similar items in Tulare, Kern, Kings and Fresno counties.

Porterville Community Flower show will be sponsored by the Porterville Garden club and the Porterville Women's club at the Wo-

From

Daybell
Nursery

By John



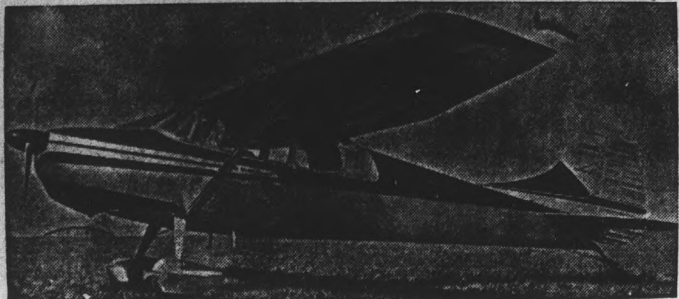
In case you weather prophets think winter is over we are now peddling post-winter plants — Hibiscus and Bougainvillea, complete with leaves and everything, just looking for a good home. We're just looking for \$1.25 and up.

Other plants crowding the season are Zinnia, Salvia, Marigold, Coleus, and Begonias. The last two being mighty fine plants for shady places. We mention these because some of our customers think shade is only for lying around in and possibly they're right, but these plants give you something practical to hide behind while loafing.

This weekend, which means today, tomorrow and Sunday, we're having our annual spring sale. This may produce more rain, which will be worth it, but if it doesn't, at least you can come in and look over a few bargains. Vigoro, good for man or beast, will go at sale prices — Bridal Wreath, Persian Lilac, and Flowering Almonds for 95c — Zinnias and Marigolds at 45c dozen and a few ladder-type trellises at one-half price.

If you, or your plants, are having aphid troubles try Isotox, Black Leaf 40, or Malathion. These mix with water and if one thing doesn't drown them, the other will. Aphids are spread by ants which move them from one juicy plant to another. Ants can easily be eliminated with Chlordane. We had a customer for chlordane today. He wanted to kill the ants because they bite, but didn't care about the aphids because they didn't. We like them both because we would starve to death if you people stopped buying insecticides! See you at the sale.

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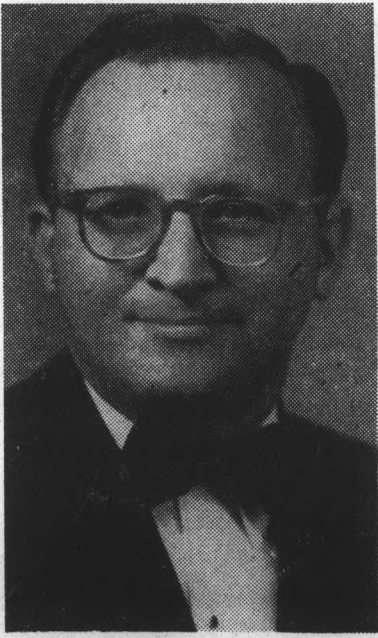
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Good Friday

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Chaplain Ray Kjeldahl announced plans for the Union Easter Sunrise service on Scenic Heights with the service to begin at 5:41 Easter Sunday morning, April 10.

Melvin Herbert, of Santa Ana, visited a few days last week with his brother, Fred, and his sister, Mrs. Ethel Walker.

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WATER BILL BY SENATOR WILLIAMS TO UNIFY STATE AGENCIES SUMMARIZED

(From Western Water News)
Two bills introduced by Senator J. Howard Williams and others relative to the organization of State water agencies appear to be developing considerable support, according to Sacramento observers. The measures were not introduced as contributions of the Joint Water Problems committee, but were introduced by Senator Williams on his own volition and include the ideas which he believes have the approval of a substantial group of people in the state.

S. B. 1655 creates the Department of Water Resources with functions now vested in the Division of Water Resources, plus the function of state-wide planning now vested in the State Water Resources board, headed by a director appointed by the Governor, and a deputy director state engineer, who is a qualified civil engineer appointed under the State Civil Service Act.

The bill revises functions of the State Water Resources Board to make it a policy-making and appeals board with the duty of establishing policy to control the activities of the department and to hear and determine appeals from any person aggrieved by any action of the department.

The measure deletes the power of both board and department to engage in construction, operation or maintenance of any water project (other than flood control projects) or the preparation of construction plans (as distinguished from the state-wide planning) for such projects, thus charging the department with (1) development of a coordinated state-wide plan for the development of the water resources; and (2) the administration of water rights and supervision of dams, both in conformity with the policy established by the board.

The bill permits the Water Resources board to cooperate with local agencies in connection with flood control matters and administer the provisions relative to construction of flood control projects and concerning participation of the State in activities for which Federal funds would be made available. It eliminates the board's power to negotiate with local agencies in connection with construction of water projects.

The measure provides that where the Legislature hereafter approves a state plan for development of water resources, that plan would become a declaration of public interest on which the department may rely for purposes of rejecting or conditioning permits to appropriate water.

S. B. 1656 revises the provisions relating to the Water Project authority to provide a membership of five specially qualified persons appointed by the Governor who represent various water users and geographical sections of the State.

It charges the authority with construction of all water or flood control projects authorized for construction by the State and permits it to cooperate with local agencies in planning and construction of local water projects, including works for flood control.

The measure transfers to the authority, the functions relative to construction of flood control projects and State participation, in

activities under which Federal funds are made available, which would be retained by the Water Resources Board under the Water Department Act of 1955.

This is a companion bill to the Water Department Act of 1955 (S. B. 1655) and becomes operative only if it is enacted at the 1955 session.

ORANGE PRORATE 250 CARS THIS WEEK

Prorate for Central California Navel oranges has been set for 250 cars this week; southern California has 750 cars.

DIRECTORS REELECTED TO MARKETING BOARD

Incumbent directors have been reelected to the board of directors of the California Farm Bureau Marketing association. They are: T. P. Koller of Fresno, Fresno county; Richard Berry of Orosi, Tulare county; Henry Wolfson of Dos Palos, Merced county; and F. E. Mallory of Madera, Madera county.

An estimated 7,000,000 catchable size trout will be planted in California streams between now and the end of October.

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There's good news for any going through tribulation. First of all, God hasn't forsaken his children; and He loves you and me. The Psalmist said, "Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for Thou art with me." (Psalm 23:4).

Secondly, He has given us help along the way. He says further in Psalm 23:4, "Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me." The rod is God's chastisement, and the staff is God's hand in leadership, and we need both. And chastisement is not mere punishment. In actuality, and as we understand the

PRUNE GROWERS GET PAYMENTS

Distribution of over \$3 million to grower-members of the California Prune and Apricot Growers association was made this month, according to Director Frank H. Pratt, local representative of the Visalia Prune and Apricot association. Of this amount, approximately \$2.25 million will represent a second progress payment on 1954 crop prune deliveries.

Over \$870,000 will be returned to growers in equity payments and interest. The equity distribution will include retirement of the equities now due, plus 20% of equities which would not be due until next year.

Mr. Pratt said prune checks were forwarded to Growers on March 15; equity payment checks will be mailed March 31.

California's asparagus acreage for harvest in 1955 is 76,700 acres, an increase of six per cent over 1954.

deeper life, chastisement is God's favor. We read in Hebrews 12:11, "Now no chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous, but grievous, nevertheless afterward it yieldeth the peaceable fruit of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby."

And lastly, Jesus has promised help. He said, "In the world ye shall have tribulation, but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." (John 16:33).

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BETTER THAN 1,000 WORDS



One picture, they say, is better than a thousand words, and certainly the above picture could qualify on that basis, for in it we see young people — Porterville Job's Daughters in this case — ready to work for the benefit of crippled children and adults, and also we see the results of such work — Fay Dean Wiginton, severely handicapped physically since childhood, but now self-supporting through operation of a telephone answering service.

And one agency that aided Fay Dean in the past is the Tulare County Society for Crippled Children and Adults, whose Easter Seal campaign for funds is now underway.

Fay Dean was last year's Tulare County Easter Seal girl; this year she is shown in the above picture buying the first Easter Lily from the Job's Daughters, who will conduct their annual Easter Lily sale on Crippled Children's day, next Saturday. Offering Fay Dean the lilies are: Janet Hammond, Glenda Holbrook and Diane Milosovich.

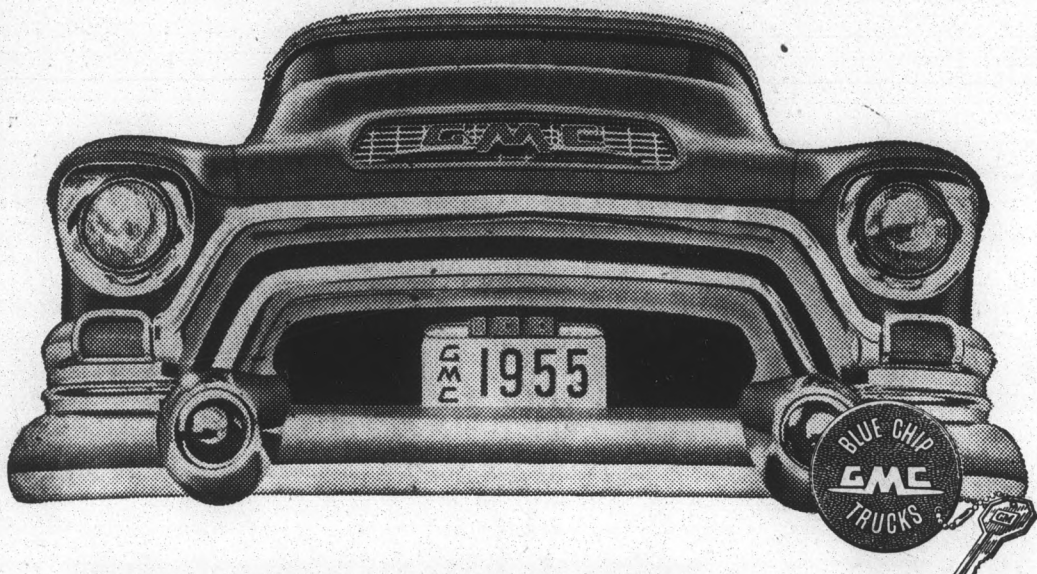
And, incidentally, Fay Dean gave the first money that she earned from her business to the Tulare County Society for Crippled Children and Adults in appreciation for the efforts the Society had made in her behalf.

The case of Fay Dean is somewhat typical of all work done by the Society — the filling of a need where crippling disease, or accident, or other causes has left an individual with a severe physical handicap, and, often, without much hope for the future.

But through work of the Society, hope is often restored; sometimes the physical defect is corrected; as in the case of Fay Dean, a way was found to live a productive life in spite of severe physical handicap.

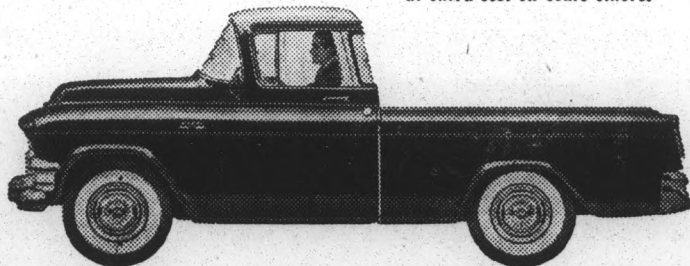
Other organizations in the community helped Fay Dean; other organizations help crippled children and adults, but charitable work for the physically handicapped centers with the Society.

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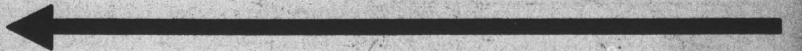
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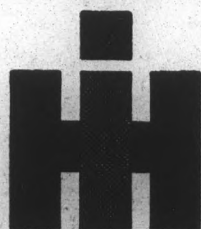
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"The Formation of the Bible" will be the first of a series of three motion pictures to be shown at the Evangelical United Brethren church beginning Sunday night, April 3, at 7:30 o'clock. The entire series was produced by the American Bible society and is entitled, "Our Bible — How It Came To Us". The films are approximately 25 minutes long.

Herman R. Matzke will preside at the service and Ted Kaufman will show the film, Rev. Everett

C. Schneider, pastor, announced. The first section of the film takes one back to the very beginning of the Bible. After a brief opening in the modern day, the film flashes back to Nazareth in the time of the first century, and shows Jesus in the synagogue reading from the scroll of Isaiah. The film then unfurls the story of how the Old Testament was formed, and how translations of the Bible into Greek spread through the eastern Mediterranean world and formed the Scriptures of the early Christians.

LEMON PRICES MOVE UPWARD

Lemon prices moved up about 20 cents to a level of \$6.35 per box, f.o.b., although volume was down to around 200 cars for the week of March 26. Original prorate for the present week, 300 cars, has been increased to 325 cars.

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Sports Champion

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ville's all-time football greats and an All-American at St. Mary's college, has written that he will be in Porterville for the Banquet of Champions; Mal Whitfield, the Olympic champion and one of America's greatest track stars, has written from Chicago that he plans to attend the banquet and Sportarama.

Among other celebrities who have accepted invitations to the banquet is Roy Irvin, co-captain this year of the University of Southern California basketball team, and an All-Pacific Coast Conference team choice.

Irvin, also picked on the Helms Athletic Foundation All-American squad, is a former star at Montebello high school and at Fullerton junior college. During his three years at USC he has been a top scorer, as well as a strong defensive player.

Mrs. Irvin, along with wives of a number of the guest athletes, will accompany her husband to Porterville.

Also coming from Los Angeles will be Braven Dyer, Los Angeles Times Sports columnist and nationally known sports writer. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Dyer.

First forsores will tee off in the golf tournament at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, with Mac Williams in charge of the golf committee; the Banquet of Champions is slated for 6:00 p.m., with Gil Stratton, prominent sports, radio and TV figure, as master of ceremonies; annual Sportarama will start at 8:00 a.m.

Wives of visiting sports champions will be entertained at the swimming pool of the Porterville Motel, with Mrs. Pat Welles as

chairman of the arrangements committee.

Program for the Sportarama, in charge of a committee headed by Wayne Hardin, is: Trampoline exhibition, Garry Fees and Alan Griseimer; boxing bouts, with Young Corbett III, former world welterweight champion, as referee, assisted by Steve Strellich, former world light heavyweight wrestling champion, and Bob Duncanson, of Paso Robles, assisting.

Featured in amateur bouts will be: Don Lewis vs. Bryce Loudon; Dick Loyd vs. Beryl Post; O. B. Hendrix vs. Duane Keen; Gary Barkdull vs. Mel McCarty; Alex Ramos vs. Bob Earl; John Vieira vs. Dwayne Hutson; Bob Johnson vs. Chuck Tsugaris; Jim McClure vs. Davis Harp; Tom Ludden vs. Reggie O'Neal; Gene Maples vs. Dick Hurt; Aubrey Warden vs. Bob Keller and Bill Bumgartner vs. Stan Gallagher.

Bob Wiley will meet Bill Sickles in a wrestling match and Wiley and Sickles will team against Bob Earl and Gary Barkdull in a tag-team match.

Weight lifting exhibition will be staged by Frank Spellman, Olympic champion, and by Bob Wiley and Chuck Tsugaris, Porterville college students.

A special exhibition boxing bout will be staged by Larry and Ricky Duncanson, age nine and 11 years, from Paso Robles. In a blind boxing bout will be Bryce Loudon, Bob Earl, Reggie O'Neal, Stan Gallagher and Don Lewis.

Celebrities will be introduced during the Sportarama.

Tickets for both the Banquet of Champions and the Sportarama are being sold by Quarterback Club members; funds raised go for assistance of Porterville college and high school students.

Mystery Farm

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ly contest.

In sponsoring this new advertising feature, Hastings Equipment company management recognizes the importance of farming to this community. Publication of the weekly aerial photo will give readers an idea of how farms of the community appear from the air.

The pictures were taken by Western Air photo from a specially equipped plane. No one knew whose farms were being "shot", not even the pilot, who criss-crossed the southeastern Tulare county area taking pictures at random of farms that he saw.

Value of picture that will be presented to the owner of each mystery farm is \$15 or more; value of the picture that will be given each week to one person who identifies the farm is the same.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results

Others heading committees are: Banquet, Dutch Schmidt; decorations and banquet arrangements, Kenny Richardson; concessions at Sportarama, Jimmy Wagner; welcoming committee, Supervisor Ray Longley; door and box office at Sportarama, Jim Bakotich; publicity, Al Weaver; ticket sales, Chet Griswold; special arrangements, Harry Britton and general chairman, Bob Bennett.

Other prominent sports figures who have accepted invitations to the banquet are: Paul Larson, Bob Boyd, Bob Klinger, Bill Vukovich, Sim Innes, Johnny Lindell, Babe Herman, Dutch Warmerdam, Flint Hanper, Monte Pearson, Elroy Hirsh, Jerry Donovan, Dave Rowe, Al Nickolini and George Bryson.



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THE OLD DAYS

(Continued from Last Week)

In the Mentz building, Joseph Richardson had opened a dry goods store about 1910; he moved to the Monache building, in the block north of Putnam, in 1916 or '17, and finally sold about 1920 or '21. When the J. C. Penney store came to Porterville in 1919, it located in the Mentz building and remained there until 1938 when it was moved to the building erected for Penney over the Slough, by John Zaninovich, on the west side of Main street farther south. Therefore when L. E. Jones moved into the Mentz building, his hardware store occupied the half not occupied by Penney's.

Allen Bullard, who had been in Porterville in 1910, coming from Los Angeles, joined in 1912 the sales staff of Joseph Richardson in the Mentz building. (He married Helen Lyng in Porterville.) In 1916, in connection with his father for awhile, he opened his own dry goods store in the north portion of the Putnam-Price building and remained there until 1928 when he moved to the Monache building. The Prices, who had, after the Burfords left, taken over the whole floor and cut an arch between the two parts, in 1916 closed the arch and used only the south half, by moving their furniture upstairs. So after Allen Bullard left, the part he had vacated was used as a restaurant — by Eddie Taylor and by Joe Hiller and McDonald, and perhaps by others.

North of the Putnam building that centers the block, after the fire of 1897, Dr. Chapman did not rebuild on his old site, but instead built the two-story brick building at the north corner for his drug store, at Mill. On the old drug store site, in a building (perhaps erected by Calderwood himself) "Scotty" Calderwood opened his enlarged Scotty's Chophouse; he had a small counter on the north corner before the fire.

This was probably the most widely known and popular business ever operated on this particular Porterville block. The description by Webb Loyd shows how it was possible at that period to furnish good food at cheap prices; Webb Loyd was in the Chophouse first as a cook and then as a partner. The Orange Pool hall was next north of Scotty's; and an arch was cut between the two places.

Another saloon was just north of that.

It was in those three places that Jim McKinney on a spree one night in April, 1903, "shot up the town" and started his final career as a fugitive. He had visited other saloons on this and other blocks. Drinking places, under any name, detract from civilization instead of adding to it; Jim McKinney was their product, who otherwise might have been a useful and pleasant citizen of Porterville.

In recent years the west side of Main street between Mill and Oak streets presents some changes besides the transfer of the ownership of the Putnam-Price and Mentz buildings. At the north corner (Mill street), Dr. Chapman's building was bought, after the death of his daughter, Mrs. Tennie Trefry, by Mrs. Bessie Holston, daughter of David Vaughn, early sheepman. It was already occupied by the Towne Shoppe, a women's dress shop started about 1921 by Gerston's, a Fresno company; not long afterwards this business was sold to Bennie Straus, Jr., of San Jose, who also had a Fresno shop.

Mrs. Montana McCoy has been the manager; she had come to Porterville in 1923 and was first at Leggett's. (Her children: Robert McCoy Jr., Viva McCoy or Mrs. Geo. Premo, Mark McCoy, and Frank McCoy, grew up here.)

Some who have occupied the offices in the upstairs of the Chapman building are: Dr. Byron Carpenter, (dentist father of Dr. Leonard Carpenter); the law office of E. L. Lindsay; and of late years, Dr. Blackman, Dr. McKay, and Dr. Tannlund. Next to the Chapman building is the one now occupied by Toppers jewelry firm (one of Toppers Chair Store Jewelers of

DR. HACKETT URGES USE OF POLIO VACCINE

Dr. Gordon C. Hackett, medical director of the Tulare County March of Dimes polio clinic at the Memorial Hospital at Exeter, this week gave his support to the county-wide sign-up for the polio vaccination program slated for early April if federal approval is given the vaccine.

"If the vaccine is approved and is suitable, it certainly should be utilized in the fight against polio",

Beverly Hills, since 1948.

This building is owned by Mrs. George G. Murry, now of Oakland; she had come from San Francisco in 1905 and had married George Murry; after his death in 1918 she took their three sons, George Gordon, Jr., Wilburn, and Richard, to San Francisco to live. The building has been used by various businesses; just preceding Toppers a shoe store was there.

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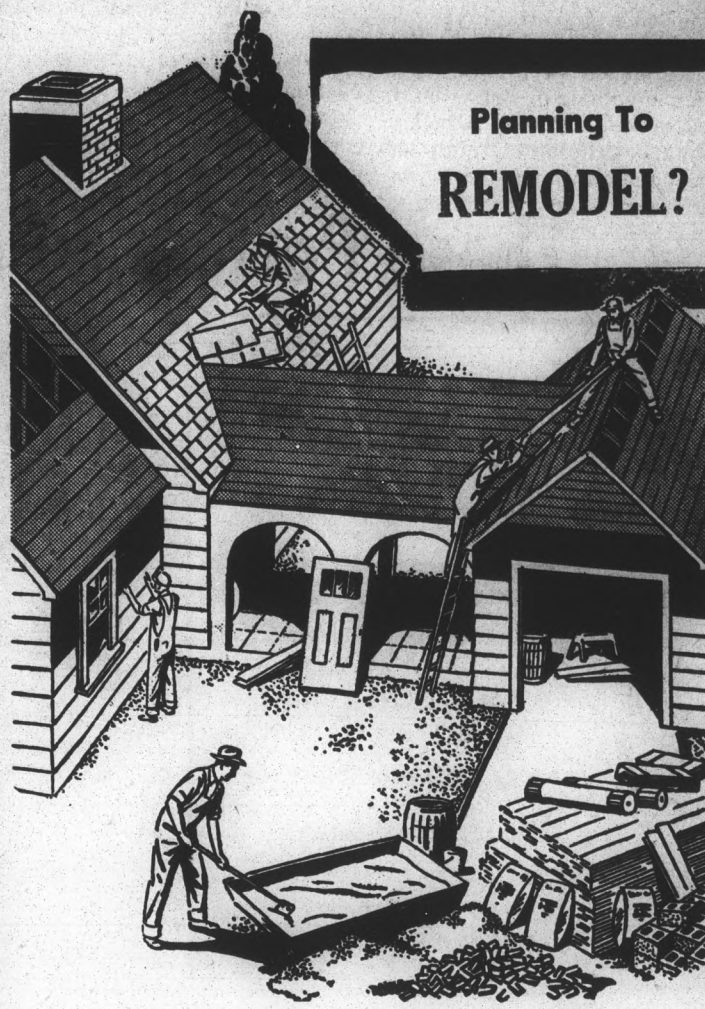
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Dr. Hackett said.

"I have already signed the permit slips for my own children to receive the vaccine, and plan also to obtain the vaccine privately for those of my family not eligible for vaccination in the first and second grade program.

"We are now approaching the time of year when the incidence of polio rises, and it seems wise to get this vaccination program completed as soon as possible after the vaccine is officially approved."

Dr. Hackett made the statement in support of the March of Dimes chapter's educational program to win cooperation of parents of children in the sign-up for the voluntary vaccination of all first and second grade pupils in the county just as soon as the federal government approves the new Salk vaccine for general use.



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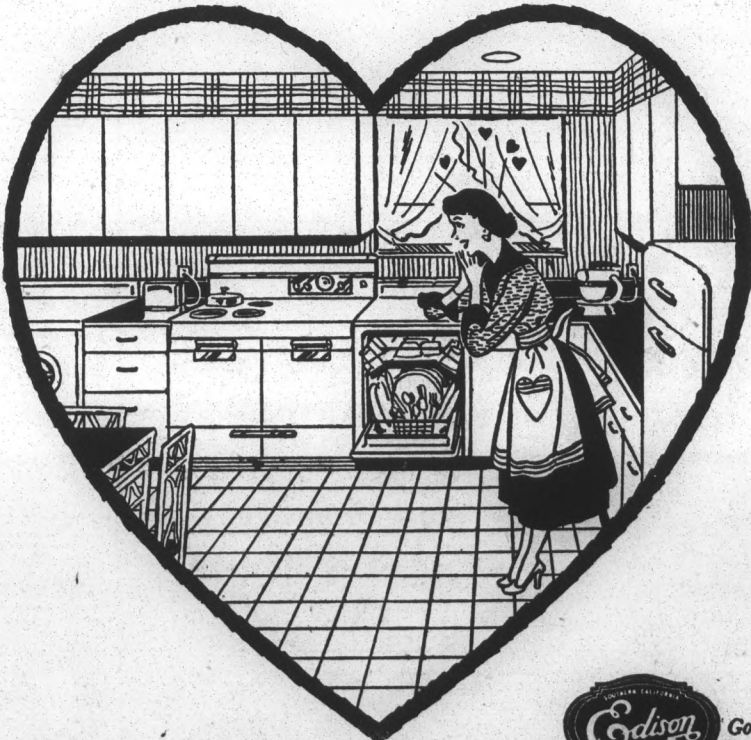
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JUST AS an example of the type of economy that is now going on in the federal government: In 1953 the General Services administration effected savings and economies totaling \$130.6 million; in 1954, \$147.6 million. The government printing office refunded to the Treasury department this year a check for \$3 million, representing a voluntary reduction in capitalization. Consolidation of five finance offices in the Farmers Home administration saved \$1 mil-

lion in salaries, reduced tabulating machine rentals by \$50,000 and saved an additional \$65,000 in office space rental.

AND WHAT about the state of the nation business-wise? Steel production is now at 90 per cent of capacity, compared to 70 per cent a year ago; spendable income is now \$256 billion, an all-time high; electric power output is running 10 billion kilowatt hours per week as against 8.5 last year at this time; index of industrial production has reached its highest point since October of 1953; imports and exports are running \$100 million per month over last year;

shortages are occurring in some types of steel, aluminum and certain types of milling wheat; new orders with manufacturers began to rise in late 1954, notably in the fields of machinery, automobiles and transportation equipment; more than a million and a half cars are expected to be sold in the first quarter of 1955, an increase of one-third above the same period last year, and more people are expected to buy homes this year than in any year since 1948. In short, the business economy is lively indeed. Are you taking advantage of it, or are you one of those individuals who, regardless of how

good times are, complains because they are not better?

LATEST DEVELOPMENT in the case of District Attorney Bob Haden must present something of a problem to county grand jury members. Mr. Haden, as you recall, was accused of taking \$5,000 from an estate that he was administering as a private attorney, prior to being elected district attorney; a jury found him not guilty. Now, with at least one of the principals in the case who testified against Mr. Haden telling the present grand jury that she lied to the former grand jury and in court, question is, "What now?"

Of course lying in this situation is perjury. Perjury, if that is proved, should not go unpunished.

FROM RAGS to riches, or from famine to feast might have been the theme of this year's Porterville junior chamber of commerce banquet. Whereas guests last year offered somewhat disparaging remarks concerning amount of food served, guests at last Thursday's banquet received an ample portion of prime ribs, and there was plenty for "seconds" for those really hungry customers who wanted a refill.

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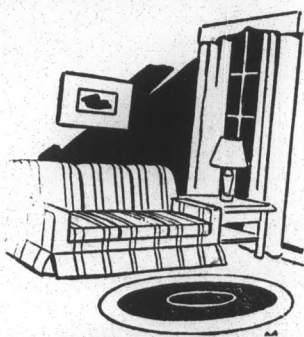
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Before the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California

IN THE MATTER OF THE HOPE WATER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held at the residence of Robert Merzolan, Rt. 2, Box 846, Porterville, California, for the purpose of determining whether or not the herein-after described area shall be formed into a Water District and for the election of five (5) persons who shall serve as the Directors of said District if said District is formed, and one person who will hold the consolidated office of Assessor, Tax Collector and Treasurer.

The date of the election is April 26, 1955, and the polls will be open between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 7:00 P.M. of said day.

The name of the proposed District is HOPE WATER DISTRICT. The first board of directors will be elected at that election, consisting of five (5) in number who will take office if the District is formed.

All of the proposed District has been consolidated into one election precinct, and the polling place is the aforesaid residence of Robert Merzolan.

The description of the boundaries of the proposed District is as follows:

Beginning at the Southwest corner of the North half of the Northeast quarter of Section 20, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, M.D.B.&M.; thence South one-half mile, more or less, to the Northwest corner of the South half of the Southeast quarter of said Section 20; thence East one-half mile, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said South half of the Southeast quarter of said Section 20; thence North one-fourth mile, more or less, to the East quarter corner of said Section 20; thence East one-fourth mile, more or less, to the Northeast corner of the West half of the Southwest quarter of Section 21 of said Township and Range; thence South one-half mile, more or less, to the Southeast corner of said West half of said Southwest quarter of said Section 21; thence East one-fourth mile, more or less, to the Northeast corner of the Northwest quarter of Section 28 of said Township and Range, thence South one-fourth mile, more or less, to the Southeast corner of the North half of the Northwest quarter of said Section 28; thence West one and one-half miles, more or less, to the Southwest corner of the North half of the Northwest quarter of Section 29 of said Township and Range; thence South one-quarter mile to the Southeast corner of the Northeast quarter of Section 30 of said Township and Range; thence West one mile, more or less, along the east-west center line of said Section 30 to the East boundary line of the Friant-Kern Canal; thence Northerly two miles along said East boundary line of said Canal to the North line of the South half of Section 18, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, M.D.B.&M.; thence East one-half mile, more or less, to the Northeast corner of said South half of said Section 18; thence South three-fourths mile, more or less, to the Southwest corner of the North half of the North half of Section 20, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, M.D.B.&M.; thence East one-half mile, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Each voter shall have one vote for each dollar's worth of land to which he holds title.

All voters and legal representatives of voters may vote in said election either in person or by proxy. Dated this 23rd day of February, 1955.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

By: CLAUD H. GRANT
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

By: JAMES E. HOWARD
Deputy County Clerk

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 12745

In the Superior Court of the State of California, In and For the County of Tulare

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GROVER CLEVELAND WALLS, ALSO KNOWN AS GROVER C. WALLS, AND ALSO KNOWN AS G. C. WALLS, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Grover Cleveland Walls, also known as Grover C. Walls, and also known as G. C. Walls, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Tulare, in the City of Visalia, County of Tulare, State of California, or to exhibit said claims with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months to said administratrix at the office of Guy Knupp, Jr., located at 400 Second Street, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of Grover Cleveland Walls, also known as G. C. Walls, deceased.

DATED: February 15, 1955.
ALLINE WALLS
Administratrix

GUY KNUPP, JR.
Attorney for Administratrix
400 Second Street
Porterville, California
Telephone 1157

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 562

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING STREAMS AND RIVERS LOCATED WITHIN THE COUNTY OF TULARE TO BE PUBLIC HIGHWAYS FOR THE PURPOSE OF FISHING THEREIN.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. It is hereby declared that the following rivers and streams situated in the County of Tulare, State of California, are public highways for the purpose of fishing therein:

The waters of the Kern River and its tributaries lying north of the Kern County boundary line; the waters of the Tule River and its tributaries lying within the boundaries of the Sequoia National Forest; the waters of the Kaweah River and its tributaries lying within the boundaries of the Sequoia National Forest and National Park.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance shall take effect thirty days from the date of passage hereof, and prior to the expiration of fifteen days from the passage hereof, shall be published once in The Farm Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Tulare, State of California, together with the names of the members of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the same.

THE FOREGOING ORDINANCE was passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare, State of California, on the 22nd day of March, 1955, at a regular meeting of said Board, duly and regularly convened on said day, by the following vote:

AYES:

Rodgers L. Moore
Harry W. Perry
Halver J. Haddock
J. Malcolm Crawford
John R. Longley

NOES:

None

ABSENT:

None

RODGERS L. MOORE
Chairman, Board of Supervisors of the County of Tulare.

ATTEST: CLAUD H. GRANT,
County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

By James E. Howard, Deputy

NOTICE OF FICTITIOUS NAME

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that RALPH F. MILLER of 1420 Kanai Street, Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, is doing business under the fictitious name of "K.T.I.P." and is engaged in the business of radio broadcasting through Radio Station K.T.I.P.; that the Radio Station K.T.I.P. is duly licensed by the Federal Communications Commission under License BR 1519, and that the principal place of business of said Radio Station is in Porterville, Tulare County, State of California, and the mailing address of said Radio Station is P. O. Box 1312, Porterville, California.

Dated: March 1, 1955.

s/ RALPH F. MILLER

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF TULARE, ss.

On this 1st day of March, 1955, before me, BURKE E. BURFORD, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared RALPH F. MILLER, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.
s/ BURKE E. BURFORD
Notary Public in and for said County and State

NOTICE OF FICTITIOUS NAME

YOU WILL HEREBY TAKE NOTICE that EDGAR NELSON of 210 Laurel, Porterville, California, and ROSCOE LAND of 793 Mt. View Avenue, Porterville, California, are co-partners doing business as "NELSON CONCRETE PIPE COMPANY", and are engaged in the business of manufacture and sale of concrete pipe at 780 Mt. View Avenue, in the City of Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California.

Dated: March 4, 1955.

s/ EDGAR NELSON
s/ ROSCOE LAND

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF TULARE, ss.

On this 4th day of March, 1955, before me, BURKE E. BURFORD, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared EDGAR NELSON and ROSCOE LAND, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.
s/ BURKE E. BURFORD
Notary Public in and for said County and State

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF DOING BUSINESS UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Margaret Sumpter and Lillis Uschkrat, are transacting business at 301 North Main Street, Porterville, County of Tulare, State of California, under the fictitious name of "The Smart Shop".

That the full names of all persons interested in said business and their respective places of residence, are as follows, to-wit:

Margaret Sumpter, Route 5, Box 197-A Porterville, California.
Lillis Uschkrat, 1017 North Cottage, Porterville, California.
Dated: March 7, 1955.

MARGARET SUMPTER
LILLIS USCHKRAT

State of California, County of Tulare, ss.

On this 7th day of March, 1955, before me, Gaylord N. Hubler, a notary public in and for said county and state, personally appeared Margaret Sumpter and Lillis Uschkrat, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.
GAYLORD N. HUBLER
Notary Public in and for said county and state

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Madsen Says

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increases, people are eating more and better food and are wearing better clothes than they did 25 years ago.

And he predicted that because of better farming methods, there will still be agricultural abundance in America, and in California, during the next 25 years.

Scientific research and technology have been the key to increasing agricultural production, Madsen said. The nation has had about 650 million acres under cultivation for the past 25 years, but on this acreage, farmers are now producing about 30 per cent more than they did 25 years ago.

"Some say we are ruining our land by intensified farming," the speaker said, "but we continue to produce more and more from the same amount of land."

He cited as an example of scientific development the case of California cotton, which, 25 years ago, was of poor quality and difficult to sell. But through scientific research, it was determined what was wrong with the cotton, then through a plant breeding program, quality was improved to a point where California cotton was sought by Eastern mills, and production was increased from 470 pounds per acre in 1930 to 780 pounds in 1954.

Madsen credited George Harrison, formerly of the Shafter experimental station, for this tremendous improvement in California cotton.

Twenty-five years ago there was little irrigated pasture in California, now there is 750,000 acres, the speaker said. He told of how California alfalfa seed production increased from five million pounds in the early 1930s to 59 million pounds last year, 40 million pounds of which was certified seed for Eastern planting; value was some \$22 million.

Madsen pointed out that only 15 years ago the discovery was made that certain hormones would kill certain plants. From this discovery came use of 2,4-D and many other selective weed killers, while at about the same time, DDT was developed to kill insects, and disease.

He told of "air conditioning"

BASEBALL LEAGUES TO BE DISCUSSED

Representatives of junior baseball teams that will form the Little league, the Babe Ruth league and the Knot Hole league for summer recreation play in Porterville will meet next Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Porterville chamber of commerce office to lay plans for summer activities. Invited to attend are team sponsors, coaches and league officials.

Burton Center To Hear Speaker

R. A. Johnson will speak on "New Social Security Law As It Effects Farmers and Employees," at a dinner meeting of the Burton Farm Bureau Center, being held tonight, Thursday, at Gang Sue's Tea Garden in Porterville.

Associated Women of the Tulare County Farm Bureau were in Sacramento the first part of the week, on their annual visit to the state capitol. Annual dinner meeting was held Tuesday evening, with State Senator J. Howard Williams, Assemblyman Roscoe Patterson and Farm Bureau Representative Bob Hanley, attending.

cattle in Imperial valley fields by cooling their drinking water, a practice that has added a half pound of gain per day.

"There is little reason to believe that agriculture, in the next decade, will change perceptibly," Madsen said. "But as problems are solved, production will increase. We have increased average production in many crops in the past 25 years; we will continue to do this in the next 25 years."

Greater development of the state's 45 million acres of range land was predicted by Madsen. He predicted that through experimentation and by application of knowledge gained, animal carrying capacity of range land can be doubled or tripled. He said that work in this direction is just now getting well under way.

Madsen also emphasized the importance of recreation in connection with range development, and that as ranges are improved, careful attention must be given to needs of wildlife.

Presiding at the banquet was Boyd Eckard, president of the junior chamber; Bob Board, senior chamber president, announced the winner of the Mrs. Porterville title — Mrs. Mac Williams, with runners being Mrs. Edwin G. Harris and Mrs. F. W. Stewart.

The Rev. Ellis Peterson spoke the invocation; Glenn Ruddy served as master of ceremonies; Orville Gillette led a salute to the flag; Ivan Hershey's high school boys' glee club entertained and Dr. P. H. McKay, a city councilman, extended official greetings for Mayor Lester J. Hamilton.

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Sportsmen Meet Friday To Plan Banquet; Needham Will Be Speaker; Committee Requesting Door Prizes

Directors of the Southern Tulare County Sportsmen's association will meet Friday, 8:00 p.m., at the Porterville Elks lodge to further plan ticket sales campaign, and other details, for annual sportsmen's banquet that will be held in the Sports Center, south of Porterville, April 25.

Developments on the banquet to date, as announced by Joe Gray, president, are: Speaker will be Paul R. Needham, professor of zoology and director of fishery schools at the University of California.

Master of ceremonies will be Superior Court Judge Fred Stone; ticket sales has started, with headquarters established at the Harry J. Johnson company office, 520 N. Main; The Porterville Elks band has been engaged to provide music, and G. W. Philpot, president of the Central Valley Sportsmen's Council, will introduce the speaker.

Merchants of the Porterville community will be contacted next week for door prizes to be given away at the banquet. Members of the committee in charge are Harry Scruggs, Alfred Browning, S. H. McLemore and Robert Marshall.

Last Friday evening, Sportsmen association directors and their wives, enjoyed a kick-off dinner at the Elks lodge, to launch ticket sales campaign for the April 25 banquet.

Since 1949 more men than women have died of cancer annually, American Cancer Society statistics show.

Special Feature

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TELEPHONE DISPLAY

Pacific Telephone's display will feature long distance calls, according to Porterville company manager, Bob Board, with a lucky visitor to be chosen every half hour to place a long distance call from a soundproof booth. Spectators will be able to listen in on the calls on 50 individual telephone receivers, placed on counters in front of the exhibit.

The 20-foot exhibit will be staffed by local telephone girls who will demonstrate the speed and accuracy of modern dialing equipment — the forerunner of direct customer dialing.

The exhibit will also include a large map of the United States, showing the different calling areas. Each free call will be traced, as it is made, from Porterville to its destination.

In other fair activity, Exhibits Supervisor Ernie Cassidy states that less than a dozen commercial exhibit spaces remain to be sold, with most of these tentatively spoken for.

Board Secretary Rolla Bishop reports that premium book for livestock exhibitors will be off the presses within the next few days; also that negotiations are near completion for the professional show that will be a feature of each night's entertainment.

Rodeo, Parade

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At the main attraction — the rodeo, April 17, grand entry is scheduled for 1:00 p.m. A barbecue lunch will be sold on the grounds by members of the Springville Farm Bureau Center; additional food and refreshments will be served by other Springville community organizations.

The rodeo is sponsored by the Springville chamber of commerce, whose members invite valley residents to spend the day in the colorful spring setting of the Gill arena.

Saddle Club Members Enjoy Chuck Wagon Ride

Members and guests of the Orange Belt Saddle club — 49 adult riders and 19 children — enjoyed the club's annual Chuck Wagon ride and parade, Sunday. The parade down Main street was led by Dorothy and Darlene Aston, riding mules, with large signs advertising the annual Porterville Round-up, to be sponsored by the Saddle club, April 30 and May 1, at the Rocky Hill arena.

A barbecued beef dinner, with green salad and buns, was served to 130 persons at the Kincaid ranch, riders going through the foothills on their trek to the ranch.

Guests of Jack and Elva Ferguson, from Delano, were Bill and Rollie Parelli-Minnetti, Frank and Frieda Geilser, Jane and Bill Akers, children Jerry and Merle Myers, Lena Lemmenne and son, Charley.

Dorothy Brown, from San Marino, was guest of Harold Curtis; other guests were Georgia Rogers and Gil Cardovan, Arletta and Gene Dinkins, Bill Carpenter, Virginia Beattie, Carol Lofton, Clayton Canfield, Pat Lindberg, Phyllis and Del Parrot and son, Jimmy, Ken Thompson, Don Benson, Betty and Everett Thomas, Noel Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Calkins and children, Janice, Barbara, Sylvia and Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. Reed Hastings.

Chuck Wagon Supper Brings Funds For Vandalia 4-H Club

A chuck wagon supper at the Vandalia school March 16 netted the Vandalia 4-H club \$60, which will be used to send club members to summer camp.

At the March meeting of the club various reports were given: Kathy Reece, treasurer's report; Gary Howell, garden meeting; Janet Gravlee, radio program; Rose Nell Esmon, craft project, and Bobby Dilluhunty, cooking.

A demonstration on tidy and untidy drawers was given by Eileen Traylor.

CYRILLE FAURE IS REELECTED BOARD CHAIRMAN

Cyrille O. Faure was reelected chairman of the board of directors



Faure Cornell

of the Porterville Memorial district at a meeting of the board held Tuesday evening, as votes from the recent election were canvassed and the board was reorganized for a two-year period.

Reelected as secretary was Ted Cornell; other board members are Vince McHenry, who was reelected to the board, with Mr. Faure, last week; Barney Richardson and Bill Wood.



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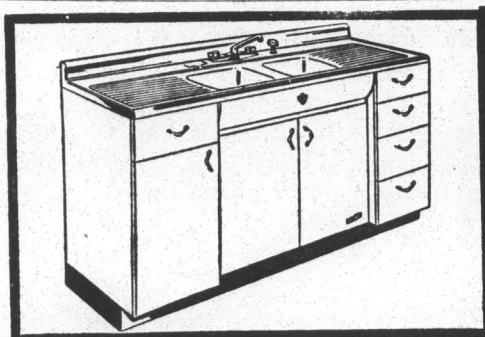
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KAROL KENDRICK PRESIDENT OF CANTERBELLES

Karol Kendrick has been elected president of Porterville's Canterbelles, an organization of girl riders. Other officers are: Phyllis Nagel, vice president; Caroline Karstaedt, secretary, and Linda Hutchinson, historian.

COTTONSEED SUPPORT AT \$46

Loans on farm-stored cottonseed of the 1955 crop will be available at an average of \$46 per ton basis grade 100, reflecting 65 per cent of the February 15 parity price for average-quality seed.

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